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### THE NEWS.

The military situation is fast assuming an aspect of the most exciting interest. Important events are near at hand, which cannot be long delayed. The rebel movements just now are the very extreme of desperation, and almost at startling results to effect if possible the Northern elections. The disposition are carefully settlent, and for a purpose which the war has taught our public not to question. Nor may we ourselves make use of all the advices that reach us, the publication of which would be prejudicial to the interests of theosses. It is enough to know that the approaching blaster of great events is in Gen Sherman's department. A rebel army, under Beauregard, has crossed the Tennessee river, and is push, ing northward rapidly. What will be the first blow struck we shall soon know. The aim of the rebel leaders will be to secure for their operations a speedy and widespread [illegible] the effects they covet. It is the [illegible] Bragg, with a change in the [illegible] and loyal men will do well [illegible] Sherman and Thomas are in the [illegible] Let our loyal man stand firm [illegible] the duty of the hour, the work that is to culminate on Tuesday next; our army will stand to our enemies in the field. Without desiring to hint or prognosticate as to Sherman's plans, we shall not injuriously [illegible] confidence by transmitting to our rebel Sherman's own expression in a late [illegible] to a distinguished officer, based on [illegible] knowledge of Beauregard's movements. They are words of valiant cheer to [illegible] people have a right—DON'T BE UNEASY ABOUT ME. I AM ALL RIGHT." Loyal reader, the duty of the hour with you, is to do your share in the great battle on which the fate of this Republic hangs, on Tuesday next. God has [illegible] Mr. McCormick's [illegible] that they were only [illegible] thousand, seven hundred and ninety-seven thousand, one hundred dollars and thirty-nine cents [illegible] between McCormick's [illegible] the conclusion arrived at [illegible] Hoff, from the testimony [illegible] It is true that [illegible] thousand, eight hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty-two cents were smuggled in by Mr. Hoff [illegible] his expenditures, as [illegible] being 50 per cent. of the [illegible] was swallowed by the Commission [illegible] the reason that the Democracy [illegible] among the receipts [illegible] stores. There were two [illegible] Hoff's statement which [illegible] that he was wholly unable to [illegible] One was $311,750.07 for [illegible] machines and commissioners, and the other for $339,906.60, for [illegible] It was shown that the [illegible] tion of the machines was [illegible] ers, and that only 10 per [illegible] by way of commissions. In re[illegible] on debts the Commissioners [illegible] the books of the applicant, [illegible] Hoff, his clerk, was [illegible] ment, on $6,788,000.00 of [illegible] tentiary notes and receipts [illegible] $33,555.67."

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### ARMED FOR ELECTIONS.

If by chance General McClellan should be President of the United States on Tuesday next, what would be the immediate results? President Lincoln would of course take the decision of the people to be a verdict against the further prosecution of the war. The only resort-book in which he could find the written interpretation of the people's vote would be the Chicago Platform. Opening that document he would read that the war has been a failure, and that "immediate steps should be taken for a cessation of hostilities." During the four months that he should remain in power he could not, of course, put down the rebellion; but if his forces were otherwise sufficient, the success of the Democratic party would inspire Jeff Davis and his army with such hope and zeal as they have never before known. They would believe that only one hundred and twenty days were standing between themselves and the accomplishment of their purposes, and they would fight under the tremendous impulse of that idea. Our army, meanwhile, on the other hand, would find the war virtually ended by a surrender to the enemy, and would see very little cause for special exertion in the interim. Under such circumstances Mr. Lincoln could only hope to maintain, as nearly as possible, the *status* of the moment. He could not be to blame for his oath as to take any steps of his own toward a cessation of hostilities, which would be actively taking the preliminary steps to disunion. He would maintain his integrity, and preserve the ground already gained, but he could not go forward.

At Gen. McClellan's inauguration there would of course be a great gathering of his party friends—another Chicago Convention in fact. Each man would come with the party platform in his pocket, and all the war flummery of the campaign would be forgotten. There has so much waddling left on the field of battle after the victory is won. There would be a sudden return to first principles—a general consultation of the party compass to find out where they were. Valuable hints would be on hand to expound the second resolution, which he drew. The finishing in the programme would be to take steps for an immediate cessation of hostilities. This would be perfectly easy. The rebels would like nothing better, because they would thus be spared the necessity of emancipating their slaves. All Democratic journals would be ordered, the next step would be to acknowledge the independence of the Southern Confederacy. "But," says some simple-minded War Democrat, "we never agreed to do that." No, but you agreed to quit fighting, and after you have actually ceased, how are you going to begin again? It takes two to begin a battle. Jeff Davis and his whole government and army demand the recognition of the Confederacy as the preliminary step to any negotiations. By a cessation of hostilities we shall have abandoned our whole vantage ground, demoralized our own armies, inspired those of the enemy, furnished an excuse to foreign governments to recognize the Confederacy, given the rebels time to breathe and recuperate, and in short we shall have thrown away the whole contest, which means that we shall have thrown away the Union. *Hostilities once ceased will never be resumed, except as between two independent nations.*

The loyal soldier in the field may well ask, What is the use of fighting after we have once offered to compromise with armed traitors? The loyal citizen may well ask, What is there left to contend for, when we have admitted the right of a minority to rebel after an election which has not gone according to their taste? Absolutely nothing! We cannot have a disunion party of the Union, but we do know that a dissolution of the Union cannot be averted by human agencies after we shall have taken the first step marked out in the Chicago platform. Those who adopted the Chicago platform made no provision for a resumption of hostilities in case the cessation of hostilities should not have the effect of restoring the Union, indicating clearly enough that they had no intention of recommencing the war under any circumstances. If McClellan be elected they will be the dominant faction, and others may as well withhold against the temptation for a renewal of the war when an armistice has become an accomplished fact. What with rebels in front, Copperheads in power, cowards and mutinous workshops in the rear, a discouraged army and a demoralized people, can any one doubt that the end of the Union is at hand, and that the right of secession must be allowed full swing, to disintegrate and melt away the few remaining vestiges of the American name?

### JEFF. DAVIS FIGHTING FOR "EQUALITY."

Jeff. Davis and his organs tell us that two-thirds of the rebel army have already declared, in the most effective way, viz., by desertion, their determination not to sustain the sinking fortunes of the rebellion. This is a better test than any vote that could be taken on the question whether the Southern people prefer the rebellion to the Union. Jeff. Davis has carried on his crime thus far, with a high hand, and he is getting to the end of his tether. With two-thirds of his army in the mountains, ready to face the troops he may send to arrest them, who will be surprised to declare that even Jeff. Davis' army is for the rebellion? He is now about to squeeze every able-bodied slave within his people's reach into the army of land and his freedom, and put him into the army. This policy, like an explosive shell, will scatter its dangers in various directions.

1. It will occasion a general stampede of all the slaves who can possibly reach our lines, or who can get into the ranks of the armies of the Union, and defying Jeff. Davis in the heart of the Confederacy. The slaves have heretofore been exempted from the burdens of war, to an extent that for the time made their condition, physically, even more servile than that of their masters. They have been better treated, better fed, and better clothed than ever before, as an indirect tax to remain with their masters, in spite of the allurements of freedom held out to them. It has required no small share of Rebel virtue and love of liberty on the part of the slave to induce him to leave his unusually comfortable home, and his unusually kind relations, for a freedom which meant little more than the privilege of entering the military service. But now this is reversed. The slave must fight for Jeff. Davis or run away, and either fight or work, as he chooses practically. If he runs away, he is the gainer in freedom; if he fights, he is the gainer in what he has the freedom itself, already given him. If he stays, he must fight for nothing. If he runs away he can either work for high wages, or fight with a pay made high by bounties. Jeff. Davis promises him fifty acres of land, which he does not own at the end of the war, at the most. We pay him the cash with which he can buy his land, and locate his wife and children upon it before he goes.

Jeff. Davis is about to set, therefore, as Mr. Lincoln's Provost Marshal, to carry into practical effect the emancipation proclamations, by driving the slaves into ourselves. The only difficulty in the emancipation proclamation was that it seemed to act on those beyond our reach. It was compared to the mythical "Pope's Bull against the Comet." If, spite of the fact that the slaves were, physically speaking, as much within reach of us as their masters, that in our lines the emancipation proclamation has freed over a million of slaves, what may be expected when Jeff. Davis employs the terrors of a conscription and the force of his army to drive his slaves into our ranks?

Another effect of the new rebel policy will be to destroy, both South and North, the fundamental prejudice—it cannot be called a principle—of so-called "Democracy." This has been that the negro has no right to freedom, wages, marriage, or any other possession or equality before the law. If Jeff. Davis carries out his proposed policy, his army will soon be two-thirds black, and every black man in it will be a freeman and a voter. If fighting continues, some among his black soldiers will soon inevitably develop the higher qualities of soldiers, and must, on former occasions, be promoted.

If the war is long, companies, regiments and finally corps, will probably be commanded by black officers. While this has been going on in the army, free blacks who have left the service, and the remaining black population, who must inevitably be freed, will be entitled to the rights of citizenship, will be allowed to enter, will begin to *Africanize the Confederacy*. Of course we are considering what must be the result to the "rebels" in their best estate, i. e. if their rebellion succeeds through the aid of their black population.

Jeff. Davis, in adopting this policy, has secured the last tie that bound to him the Northern "Democracy," as I said above. They already see, as plainly as we have known it, that Jeff. Davis and the rebels have become the practical champions not only of abolition, but of negro equality in the next form. So long as the South was bound to the North, and the negro race so largely in the relation, the negroes might have been freed without giving them the right to vote or to hold office. But to a foreign Confederacy, in which the negroes by many of the states remember the whites, they would not be given freedom, and education, especially

residing there is most either be content to look upon negroes as their equals, and others by virtue of their official stations, their superiors, or must remove into the North. On the contrary, as citizenship and office-holding would probably continue in the Northern States to be monopolized by the whites as the ascendant race, the blacks of Northern and border States would find larger privileges and a more congenial home in the "Confederacy." With the complete emancipation of whites out of, and of blacks into, the Confederacy, the whole complexion of the former would become Copperhead and of the latter African. If the Confederacy is ever to be a distinct nationality, therefore, it must be a black one. It may be said that these results require too much time for their accomplishment, and that the whole difficulty must be cleared up and peace obtained by some shorter route. We humbly trust it may. We trust the "Democratic" party, now that they see that slavery must be abolished in either event, and that Jeff. Davis is so ready to abolish it from military necessity, in order to destroy the Union, as Mr. Lincoln is to destroy it in order to save the Union, will put their shoulders to the wheel and aid Mr. Lincoln in crushing out the rebellion before Davis shall have bestarred into the field that army of blacks, behind whom rises in prophetic vision a BLACK REPUBLIC from the Dismal Swamp to the Gulf of Mexico.

### A SPECIMEN OF COPPERHEAD LYING.

The most ingenious specimen of campaign lying we have noticed is the following from the *N. Y. World*:

> "When the *Tribune* is open and candid in political matters, we would say more on the day with it than with any paper. But it is inhuman in the following type:—

> "'Gen. Sickles, an eidevisant native and citizen of New York, who fought gallantly at Gettysburg, &c., &c., &c.,

## Special Notices.

**Restrained**

FOR CURABILITY AND QUALITY IS
"BRANDRETH'S VEGETABLE SMALL PILL."
A TRIBUTE OF A GRATEFUL PATIENT.

**Asthma Cured.**

**HOOFLAND'S**

**ERMAN BITTERS**

**A PURE TONIC.**

**ITIVE CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA**

**isorders of the Liver, Stomach and Digestive Organs,**

**Reinforce Nature.**

**Miscellaneous.**

**Asthma Cured.**

## Educational.

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A CHURCH SCHOOL FOR
BOYS AND YOUNG MEN,
RACINE, WISCONSIN.
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## Banking and Exchange.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CHICAGO.
Capital, - - - - $500,000.
No. 10 LASALLE STREET.
U. S. DEPOSITORY & FISCAL AGENT.
SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED FOR
7-30 Loan and 10-40 Gold Bearing Bonds.
ISAAC G. LOMBARD, JOSIAH LOMBARD,
President. Cashier.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CHICAGO.
CAPITAL, Paid up in Gold, $500,000.
ALVIN Z. PALMER, President.
E. E. FRANKISH, Cashier.

## Clothing.

139 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK.
JOHN T. MARTIN'S SON & CO.,
Successors to
MARTIN & BROS.,
(Formerly of St. Louis and Chicago)
Manufacture and keep a permanent assortment of
CLOTHING.

## Drugs and Chemicals.

J. H. REED & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF
DRUGS AND CHEMICALS
82 Lake-st., Chicago, Ill.
ALSO, DEAL LARGELY IN
Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Glassware Burning Oils, Kerosene, Soapmakers' Stock, Manufacturers' Goods, &c.

## Proposals.

MEDICAL PURVEYOR'S OFFICE,
CHICAGO, ILL., Oct. 26, 1864.

## Copartnership.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS day formed a copartnership under the name of
BRAINERD, IVES & CO.,
for the transaction of a general Commission and Forwarding business.
(Cash Advances made on shipments to New York and other Eastern cities. Orders for Salt promptly executed.)
C. H. BRAINERD,
H. G. IVES,
D. G. SHOWN.
Chicago, Oct. 1, 1864. oct1 1m

COPARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have this day formed a copartnership under the name and style of Wm. Reid & Co., for the purpose of doing a general commission business. Special attention given to the sale of Flour, Grain and Provisions. Office, No. 1, corner of Lasalle street, Chicago.
WM. REID,
E. R. SPEAR.
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## Medicinal

DR. MARES'
SYPHILITIC CURE.

**This Medicine is a Safe and Radical Cure for Syphilis in its First, Secondary and Tertiary stages, and is the most important Medical Discovery of the nineteenth century.**

From time immemorial there has existed in all large cities a fearful and fatal disease, called the Syphilis, which, since the discovery of the Western Continent, a disease VIRUS, which is capable of transmission from

**DR. EASTERLY'S PAIN KILLER.**

**This Medicine is an infallible cure for Bruises, Sprains, Headache, Toothache, Sore Throat, Colic, Cramps or Spasms, Dysentery or Bowel Complaints, Nervous Affections, Pain in the Face, Painter's Colic, Pains in the Stomach, Back and Limbs, Cholera, Cholera Morbus, and, in fact wherever it is applied Pain cannot exist.**

It is used INTERNALLY and EXTERNALLY and is a perfect ANTIDOTE to ALL PAIN. TRY IT ye

**DR. EASTERLY'S FEVER AND AGUE KILLER.**

**This Medicine will cure Ague and Fever, Dumb Ague, Chills and Fever, Intermittent and Remittent Fevers, and every form of Fever incident to the West.**

**DR. EASTERLY'S DIARRHŒA SYRUP.**

**This Medicine will cure Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, Summer Complaint, Colic, Wind in the Stomach and Bowels, and all Derangements of the Stomach and Bowels of Children when Teething.**

**DR. HOOPER'S FEMALE CORDIAL.**

**This Elegant and popular Medicine will cure all Female Complaints, such as Excessive, Suppressed or Painful Menstruation, Leucorrhœa or Whites, Irritation of the Womb, and all Irregularities of the Monthly Periods.**

**DR. SANDERS' THREE MINUTE SALVE.**

**This Salve will permanently remove Salt Rheum, Sores, Scurvy Spots, Moles, Blotches, Blackheads, Ringworm and Tetterworm in from three to five minutes.**

## Insurance.

**Premium Certificates.**

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# GOV. YATES' SPEECH.

## The War for the Union—Our National Crisis—The Duty of the Hour.

## Our Home Traitors—Illinois and the War—The Retributions of History.

## Gov. Yates' Speech, Delivered at Bryan Hall, Thursday Evening, Nov. 3.

As an early hour last evening Bryan Hall was literally packed—crammed—in fact jammed full of "the Wooden Head brave and true," eager to listen to our gallant Governor. The auditorium, the passages and even the platform, were so full that there was really no more room to spare. Hundreds were turned away unable to gain admission to the hall.

The meeting was called to order by Colonel John L. Hancock, who introduced

GOVERNOR YATES

The appearance of the Governor was greeted with tremendous applause. This was heightened when three cheers for his lamented predecessor, "Old Richard Yates, the Governor of Illinois," were proposed, which were given with a will. When the applause had subsided the Governor spoke as follows:

FELLOW CITIZENS: I regret, most exceedingly, that the facilities for speaking in this enormous room on the open air, to such large audiences as this, has to some extent obtained the incompetent to be heard by so many, and that my voice can only be faintly heard by, however, that the present demonstration is an unusually gratifying one. Such demonstrations as this here and in every part of the State of Illinois, are calculated to instil in you and believe that the people are alive to their great interests; that there is still a determination, upon the part of the people of this country, to preserve and maintain their Government; that they understand the vast issues which are involved; that they comprehend, as they ought to comprehend, that there is nothing so dear to us as our liberties; that on the 8th of November next, that the great question is to be decided whether it shall be continued whether it shall die. I see before me a vast concourse of the loyal citizens of the State of Illinois, and I should not, in the course of my remarks, omit to refer to the fact that throughout all the country, and in the loyal States of the country, that not only the men of Illinois, but the women of Illinois, have been patriots and soldiers. (Applause.) Throughout the whole of this terrible rebellion, which has been anxious; while we have sent our mighty army to the field to bear aloft our proud, unconquered banner, which has never been trailed in the dust, which has never been polluted by the hands of a cowardly, traitorous people, called to send another army and that army to take care of the sick and wounded soldier, to succor his blood, heal his wounds, and make him stand up before the benefactions and prayers of his countrymen and country women, followed him throughout all the bloody track, any of the battle fields, and shielded the pen of the Archangel, who sits in the Heavens and writes upon the tablets of eternity, the name of the soldier of the Union. Yes, they were faithful to the exalted heroism and shining virtues of our illustrious ancestors. (Applause.) And from every true and loyal, and patriotic heart from every Christian and philanthropist, there should go up to the throne of Almighty God the earnestest invocation, "God bless the noble women of Illinois. (Applause.)

But, fellow citizens, it is some satisfaction to-day, after nearly four years of war, to appear before you and to announce the triumphant success that all loyal men, all loyal citizens, all loyal hearts, all the conservative elements of the country, have achieved in the late election throughout the whole country. We have met the enemy and they are ours. (Applause.) We have met the enemy in the open field, and we have met them in the ballot box, and we have met them in the forum of discussion, and we have met them in the forum of speech in the State of Illinois, and we have met them in the forum of speech in the State of Ohio, and we have met them in the forum of speech in the State of Indiana, and we have met them in the forum of speech in the State of Pennsylvania, and we have met them in the forum of speech in the State of New York, and we have met them in the forum of speech in the State of Connecticut, and we have met them in the forum of speech in the State of Rhode Island, and we have met them in the forum of speech in the State of New Jersey, and we have met them in the forum of speech in the State of Wisconsin, and we have met them in the forum of speech in the State of Iowa, and we have met them in the forum of speech in the State of Minnesota, and we have met them in the forum of speech in the State of Kansas, and we have met them in 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## GRAND DEMONSTRATION FOR THE UNION.

### The Loyal Masses Out in Full Force--Delegations from the Country.

### Yesterday Afternoon--Mass Gatherings in the Court House Square and in Metropolitan Hall.

### The Evening Rallies--Wide Awake Procession--The City all Ablaze with Torches--Fireworks--Naval Engagement--Mass Meetings in Bryan and Metropolitan Halls--Distinguished Speakers.

The loyal men and women of Cook county were gathered in full force in this city yesterday. The announcement that in the afternoon there would be addresses delivered by Union speakers, drew together a large concourse of people from all parts of the county. From early morning till noon, the trains coming into the city were laden with passengers from the adjacent towns, and hundreds of teams were on the streets, freighted to swell the hosanah for Union and Liberty, and for the men who have been selected officially to represent these people in the counter contest of Tuesday next.

We cannot particularize all the delegations which arrived in the city. They came from each county in great numbers, bringing thirty dozen banners and scores upon scores of torches, by the which, very many more could be seen in the trains that were awaited the flag. The town of Lyons sent in nineteen wagon loads of men and when they got down to Bryan Hall in the evening at 7 o'clock,

COLONEL DANIELS

Colonel Daniels had just returned from Egypt (laughter) and was ready to do battle for the Union (laughter) and was here to be followed by the German Reserve Corps band. In the first wagon drawn by four horses, was a large transparency, on one side of which was an illustration of "Democratic Unreserved Fidelity to the Union as in the Past," representing Floyd Traverse away over his measure, and Buchanan wobbly discussions. On reversed corner of this, in the other sides of the transparency were the motto:

"The Pi's no propos--Patriotism, Perseverance, Progress."

"Evanston delegation for Lincoln and Johnson."

Following this was a four-horse wagon, bearing thirty-three banners, with the arms of the United States, with Columbia in the center. Each lady wore a flag sash with gold stars, and over her right shoulder was drawn the American flag.

Succeeding this patriotic outburst, was another four horse team, bearing thirty-four young ladies, all dressed in white, with flag sashes, and over their right shoulder was drawn the American flag.

Then followed a long line of wagons and carriages, filled with the sturdy yeomen of evanston, with their wives, daughters and sweethearts.

The procession then took the line of march, preceded by bands of music, were greeted with rousing cheers from the people themselves. Flags were displayed in profusion sufficient to send a chill to the heart of every copperhead, many of whom looked on while the long line of wagons and carriages, filled with the sturdy yeomen of evanston, with their wives, daughters and sweethearts.

Reporting this part of the cortege, was another four horse team, filled with gallant men, and over her right wheel was drawn the American flag.

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